Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Saturday 30 Nov 2024 until 23:59 on Sunday 01 Dec 2024

Forecast Issued on Saturday 30 Nov 2024 at 03:32

Confidence: High confidence in the general synoptic situation, lower for exact timings and locations of heavier showers and bands of rain.

Headline for Saturday 30 Nov 2024: Widely cloudy and quite breezy with hill fog. Turning wet later.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 30 Nov 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
FOG	FOG				
Fog	Fog	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain
Precipitation probability					
60%	60%	40%	30%	60%	80%

Forecast for Saturday 30 Nov 2024

Weather: A widely cloudy day with hill fog shrouding the peaks through much of this morning. Outbreaks of light rain and drizzle at first, becoming largely confined to western hills this afternoon before becoming more widespread later. Rain then arriving from the south bringing a wet evening and night. Very mild.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20%, but temporarily becoming 60% this afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud down to 400m this morning, lifting to above most peaks for this afternoon, although then occasionally lowering in patchy light rain or drizzle across western areas. Poor to very poor visibility through much of today, at times due to extensive low cloud covering the hill tops and during periods of drizzle and rain.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	18/23 SW	21/27 SW	21/27 S	21/28 S	24/33 S	25/35 S	27/36 S
300	9/22 SW	12/25 SW	11/23 S	11/24 S	13/28 S	14/29 S	15/31 S
Valley	8/22 SW	9/22 SW	9/20 S	9/22 S	11/26 S	11/26 S	12/28 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/6	10/6	10/6	10/7	10/6	10/6	9/5
300	11/9	12/9	12/10	12/10	12/10	12/9	11/8
Valley	12/10	12/10	13/11	13/12	13/11	12/10	12/9
Freezing Level*	2100m	2100m	2100m	2100m	2100m	2200m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Windy conditions make for challenging walking on exposed terrain, with poor visibility providing an additional challenge for navigational skills. Although mild, additional layers may be required for walking at higher altitude given a wind chill at height.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Sat 30 Nov 2024	7.2mm	7.4mm	8mm

Forecast for Sunday 01 Dec 2024

Weather: Rain will become heavy at times overnight, then clearing east through the morning. Bands of rain, occasionally heavy, will follow through the rest of the day, although with drier periods in-between. Also some brighter spells developing at times through the afternoon, while cloud lifts.

Maximum wind: Southerly 20-25 mph gusting 35-40 mph early in the day.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 20% later becoming 70%.

Low cloud and visibility: Widespread low cloud down to 400m through the morning, and again with the bands of rain. Through the afternoon and evening, in the drier spells, cloud becomes confined to western summits, while clearing from eastern areas. Poor or very poor visibility in low cloud, rain and drizzle through the morning, but improving to good or excellent in dry spells through the afternoon and evening, with clear views of distant hills at times.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 9 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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